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DURING OAKLEY'S VISIT TO BANGKOK, NYT'S HENRY KAMM AND CBS PETER COLLINS NOTED A PAUCITY OF ADMINISTRATION STATEMENTS ABOUT HUMAN RIGHTS IN CAMBODIA. MEMBERS OF OAKLEY'S SUITE STOUTLY REFUTED THESE ASSERTIONS. WE SUGGEST THAT ANDERSON FOLLOW UP BY PASSING THEM THE TEXT OF MR. CHRISTOPHER'S REMARKS (STATE 14913) AND A COPY OF THE HOLBROOKE/TWINING TESTIMONY BEFORE THE FRASER SUBCOMMITTEE JULY 26, 1977 (EXTRAS WILL BE POUCHED). IN ADDITION, OAKLEY MADE MENTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS QUESTIONS IN INDOCHINA AS PART OF HIS JUNE 30, 1977 TESTIMONY ON HUMAN RIGHTS IN THAILAND. VANCE

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